



# COFFEE NEWS

*From the Mayor's office*

December 2009 Edition Merry Christmas

**Water Dept.** - You can now pay bills with a major credit card at the Water Dept. window. Online billing will soon follow January 2010, check website for further details.  
[www.lakestation-in.gov](http://www.lakestation-in.gov)

**Solid Waste Dept.** - Week after a holiday residents can place holiday related Garbage/Recyclables (excluding large items such as furniture) on the side of their containers. Make sure there is space between the bags and the containers. Please do not mark containers. Containers are the property of the City. Marking either container will be considered defacing City Property.

**Post Office** - The Mayor has reports that indicates the City of Lake Station Post Office has been taken off the list of potential candidates for closing. A letter from the Mayor's office was sent to Congressmen Pete Visclosky and State Representative Vernon Smith in regards to the closing of the Post Office. Both Congressmen Visclosky and State Rep. Smith sent a letter on our behalf to the U.S. Post Office. Though the efforts of the Citizens of Lake Station, Mayor Soderquist, Congressmen Visclosky and State Representative Smith we have saved the City of Lake Station Post Office from closing. **Thank You, Thank You, Thank You.** We will keep you posted as more develops. You can never win all your battles but by doing your part at the end of the day you can rest at night because you know you have done your part.

**Leaf Pickup** - Leaf pickup went well this year. Best organized leaf pickup in many years due to the fact that we kept a steady schedule with the garbage/recycle pickup. Great job Street Department!

## **Community News**

### **Lighting of the City**

Come join the Mayor for the  
**Lighting of the Park** on  
December 4th at Riverview Park  
starting at 5:30pm

### **Movie in the Park with the Mayor**

Showing for two nights at  
Riverview Park

#### **Polar Express 3-D**

First showing Dec. 10th &  
second showing Dec. 11th at  
Riverview Park. Both shows  
start at 6pm. Surprise guest,  
hot cocoa and treats.

Tickets are required to enter and  
available at the Mayor's office  
Call 962-2081 to get yours  
today.

### **Merry Christmas**

#### **Lake Station**

**May God Bless You & Your  
Family**

